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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

The following Request for Reconsideration and remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2006. A Petition for Extension of Time for three-months to and including February 9, 2007 and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement are being filed herewith. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejection of claims 1-14, without amendment